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It was good to hear from you again and caused me to reflect with some pleasure on our earlier times together. I read your testimony which you presented to

which, generally speaking, I thought made a great deal of sense, particularly with respect to the need for support of social science research at "the basic end of the research spectrum." Over the last few years, we have been involved more and more in providing direct support to policy and action officials on live current issues, and have had less and less time to undertake basic research. This is the dilemma with which you are very familiar and which, of course, you addressed yourself to in your presentation.

I would be delighted to get together with you the next time you are in Washington, and if you would give me a little lead time I would like to arrange a stag evening at the house with some of the people from here. This would permit us to exchange ideas on the general subject of your presentation or on any one of a number of other things.

All the best,

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/s/



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